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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

a.  Previously submitted

i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on December 9, 2004  
ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

iii.  Other -

b.  Enclosed

i.  Amendment/Reply

ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv.  Other

2. Miscellaneous

a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of months

b.  Other

3 Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed  
a  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 20-0668

i.  RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)

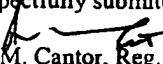
ii.  Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§1.136 and 1.17(e))

iii.  Other

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